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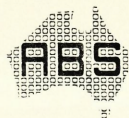
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#### MAIN FEATURES

- In 1982-83, 9 004 original claim industrial accidents were reported to the ABS. Compensation to be paid in respect of these accidents is estimated at \$13.9m and time lost at 23 600 weeks.
- Fifty per cent of reported accidents involved time losses of less than one week.
- In 1982-83 11 fatal accidents were reported; 10 of these were to males.

#### EXPLANATORY NOTES

##### Introduction

The statistics in this bulletin have been compiled from reports of workers' compensation claims for accidents occurring during 1982-83. Prior to 1977-78 statistics were compiled on a 'cases finalised' basis. Figures prior to 1977-78 are therefore not strictly comparable with later years. The reports are submitted by insurance companies, self-insurers and State Government departments.

2. Close liaison has been established by the Bureau with insurers for the purpose of achieving and maintaining coverage and accuracy in the collection and co-operation has generally been good. Under present arrangements, however, there is no effective way of checking to ensure that reports are received for all claims coming within the scope of the collection and it is considered that coverage is deficient to a degree largely because of the recording systems in use in some insurance offices. It is likely that the extent of this deficiency varies from year to year and caution should therefore be used in drawing any conclusions regarding the trend in the statistics over time. The principal value of the statistics lies in the detailed analysis which has been carried out to show accidents classified by industry group, occupation group, agency of accident, type of accident, nature of injury, site of injury, month of occurrence, age group and duration of time lost.

3. Reported industrial accidents for 1982-83 were approximately 2 200 less than in 1981-82. Follow-up with major insurers indicated that all experienced fewer claims during 1982-83. This indicated an actual fall in number of industrial accidents rather than a fall due to coverage omissions.

4. For 1982-83 the statistics represent industrial accidents reported by insurers as occurring during the financial year. Reports are received until 31 October at which time insurers estimate time lost and compensation to be paid for any outstanding accidents which occurred in the financial year.

5. Prior to 1977-78 reports were tabulated on the basis of claims finalised in a particular financial year by insurers. This differed from the 1977-78 and later years' collections in the following ways:

- (a) accidents may have occurred in the year in which the claim was finalised or during some earlier year;

- (b) the methods used by insurers for determining when claims are finalised vary greatly;

- (c) in many instances there existed a considerable time-lag between the finalisation of claims and the completion of reports.

6. The statistics relate to persons covered under the Tasmanian Workers' Compensation Act 1927, plus state police officers. Notable exclusions are self-employed persons and all Australian Government employees. Exclusion of self-employed persons is likely to have a marked effect on figures for industries where self-employment is prevalent (e.g. retail trade, rural industries). Because of the exclusion of Australian Government employees, some industry classifications are not covered at all (e.g. defence services and communications), while coverage is reduced in other industries.

7. While every effort has been made to make this bulletin as comprehensive as possible resources do not permit the publication of all the information that is available. In particular, details are readily available by sex for those tables for which persons only are shown in this bulletin. A more detailed industry split is also available.

8. The tables in this bulletin cover industrial accidents involving original claims only. During 1982-83 80 industrial accident returns involving re-opened claims were received by the Bureau. These 80 claims involved an estimated additional cost of \$151 919.

##### Definitions

9. For the purpose of this collection the following definitions have been adopted:

Agency of accident: Is the object, substance or circumstance most closely associated with the injury and which in general could have been guarded against or corrected. A distinction should be made between the agency of injury and agency of accident, e.g. a fire damp explosion and a miner crushed by a falling beam. Agency of injury is the beam but the agency of accident is the material responsible for the fire damp explosion. Agency of accident is classified according to Agency of Accident Classification.

Cost of claims: Includes compensation for wages lost and for hospital and medical expenses; and also lump sum settlements of cases reported as occurring during the year. Where final details are not available insurers are asked to provide estimates. This is most likely to occur in those cases involving fatalities or serious injuries. Care must be taken before drawing conclusions based on variations in cost of claims patterns.

Duration of leave: The period of time between the date ceased work due to the accident and the date resumed or declared fit to resume work. (In the case where several periods of absence occur it is the sum of those periods.) It is not paid days off. It may include weekends, etc. An injured party may not necessarily be prevented from working in a second job during this period. It does not necessarily reflect the time an employee is away from the specific job in which the accident occurred; for example he may have returned to work on light duties.

Industrial accident: A compensatable claim under the Workers' Compensation Act 1927 that arises out of a work related event and leads to a loss of time of one day (shift) or more (not including the day of the accident), permanent total incapacity, or death, and involves a claim for payment, under the Workers' Compensation Act 1927. Note if the claim is a re-opened claim then additional time-off may or may not be involved. Normally it will be. Industrial accidents include industrial disease cases.

Industry: Classified in accordance with the Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC) 1978 Edition. From 1971-72 to 1978-79 the Preliminary Edition 1969 of ASIC was used. Earlier years used the 1966 Population Census Classification of Industries.

Occupation: Classified in accordance with the 1976 Population Census Classification of Occupation.

Original claim: Cases which involve the first claim against the insurer for compensation for an industrial accident or industrial disease case.

Re-opened claim: Cases previously closed in which the insurer accepts that further incapacity or additional medical treatment, etc. are directly attributed to the original accident.

Type of accident: Is defined by the International Labour Office as: (i) the manner of contact of the injured person with the object or substance;

or (ii) the exposure or movement of the injured person which resulted in the injury. In some cases the choice between (i) and (ii) may give rise to conflict e.g. worker falls from ladder and grabs a hot pipe to prevent the fall. According to (i) the type of accident would be contact with hot substance or object; to (ii) type of accident would be fall from height. In such situations the type of accident is selected according to which event caused the more severe injury.

10. More details of industry and occupation classifications may be made available on application to the Bureau or to the Tasmanian Department of Labour and Industry.

#### RELATED PUBLICATIONS

Workers' Compensation Statistics, New South Wales (6301.1), annual.  
Industrial Accident Statistics, Queensland (6301.3), annual.  
Industrial Accidents, South Australia (6301.4), annual.  
Industrial Accidents, Western Australia (6301.5), annual.

11. Further information about Tasmanian Office ABS publications is included in the Catalogue of Publications, Tasmanian Office (1103.6). All publications produced by the ABS are listed in the annual Catalogue of Publications (1101.0) which is available free of charge from any ABS Office.

#### SYMBOLS AND OTHER USAGES

12. The following standard symbols are used in publications of the Tasmanian Office of the Bureau:

ASIC	Australian Standard Industrial Classification
M	males; F females; P persons
n.a.	not available
n.e.c.	not elsewhere classified
n.e.i.	not elsewhere included
n.p.	not available for separate publication but included in totals where applicable
..	not applicable
-	nil or less than half the unit shown

Values are shown in Australian currency.

13. Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and totals.

TABLE 1 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY DISABILITY AND TIME LOST AND COST OF CLAIMS 1982-83

Males

Industry	Number of accidents by extent of disability				Total number of accidents	Time lost (1/ )		Cost of claims		
	Temporary	Permanent partial	Permanent total	Death		Duration of leave (days)	Average leave (days)	Non-fatal accidents (\$)	Fatal accidents (\$)	Average per non-fatal accident (\$)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting...	529	7	-	2	538	13,196	25	764,085	n.p.	1,426
Mining.....	968	7	-	-	975	19,630	20	1,876,289	-	1,924
Manufacturing of										
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	520	2	-	-	522	9,404	18	592,638	-	1,135
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	329	5	-	1	335	5,830	17	467,536	n.p.	1,400
-non-metallic mineral products.....	83	-	-	-	83	1,502	18	120,939	-	1,457
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	826	3	-	1	830	11,895	14	908,873	n.p.	1,096
-transport equipment...	60	2	1	-	63	2,126	34	199,716	-	3,170
-miscellaneous.....	646	6	2	3	657	10,840	17	808,137	165,519	1,236
Electricity, gas and water.....	780	1	5	-	786	11,455	15	877,637	-	1,117
Construction.....	785	3	2	-	790	12,565	16	1,135,007	-	1,437
Wholesale and retail trade.....	671	7	-	1	679	10,753	16	561,457	n.p.	828
Transport, storage and communication.....	410	7	2	-	419	9,229	22	868,907	-	2,074
Finance, property and business services.....	49	-	1	-	50	1,162	24	138,912	-	2,778
Public administration and defence.....	385	2	4	-	391	6,815	18	750,843	-	1,920
Community services.....	441	3	6	2	452	7,927	18	861,068	n.p.	1,913
Recreation, personal and other services.....	199	1	1	-	201	4,392	22	281,685	-	1,401
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	7,681	56	24	10	7,771	138,721	18	11,213,729	604,340	1,445

See footnote at end of table

TABLE 1 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY DISABILITY AND TIME LOST AND COST OF CLAIMS 1982-83-Continued

Females

Industry	Number of accidents by extent of disability				Total number of accidents	Time lost (1/ )		Cost of claims		
	Temporary	Permanent partial	Permanent total	Death		Duration of leave (days)	Average leave (days)	Non-fatal accidents (\$)	Fatal accidents (\$)	Average per non-fatal accident (\$)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting...	36	1	1	-	38	1,056	29	128,595	-	3,384
Mining.....	10	-	-	-	10	68	7	4,150	-	415
Manufacturing of										
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	88	-	-	-	88	3,378	38	159,187	-	1,809
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	6	-	-	-	6	66	11	3,156	-	526
-non-metallic mineral products.....	2	-	-	-	2	13	7	2,663	-	1,332
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	9	-	-	-	9	64	7	2,536	-	282
-transport equipment...	5	1	-	-	6	780	130	56,975	-	9,496
-miscellaneous.....	135	-	-	-	135	1,245	9	76,441	-	566
Electricity, gas and water.....	8	-	-	-	8	76	10	2,771	-	346
Construction.....	6	-	-	-	6	79	13	1,792	-	299
Wholesale and retail trade.....	130	-	-	-	130	1,927	15	64,550	-	497
Transport, storage and communication.....	12	-	-	-	12	339	28	13,443	-	1,120
Finance, property and business services.....	37	-	-	-	37	479	13	14,836	-	401
Public administration and defence.....	16	-	-	-	16	223	14	9,173	-	573
Community services.....	583	2	6	1	592	14,092	24	1,359,513	n.p.	2,300
Recreation, personal and other services.....	136	2	-	-	138	2,790	20	138,298	-	1,002
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	1,219	6	7	1	1,233	26,675	22	2,038,079	n.p.	1,654

See footnote at end of table

TABLE 1 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY DISABILITY AND TIME LOST AND COST OF CLAIMS 1982-83-Continued

Industry	Persons				Total number of accidents	Time lost (1/ )		Cost of claims		
	Number of accidents by extent of disability					Duration of leave (days)	Average leave (days)	Non-fatal accidents (\$)	Fatal accidents (\$)	Average per non- fatal accident (\$)
	Temporary	Permanent partial	Permanent total	Death						
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting...	565	8	1	2	576	14,252	25	892,680	n.p.	1,555
Mining.....	978	7	-	-	985	19,698	20	1,880,439	-	1,909
Manufacturing of										
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	608	2	-	-	610	12,782	21	751,825	-	1,233
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	335	5	-	1	341	5,896	17	470,692	n.p.	1,384
-non-metallic mineral products.....	85	-	-	-	85	1,515	18	123,602	-	1,454
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	835	3	-	1	839	11,959	14	911,409	n.p.	1,088
-transport equipment..	65	3	1	-	69	2,906	43	256,691	-	3,720
-miscellaneous.....	781	6	2	3	792	12,085	15	884,578	165,519	1,121
Electricity, gas and water.....	788	1	5	-	794	11,531	15	880,408	-	1,109
Construction.....	791	3	2	-	796	12,644	16	1,136,799	-	1,428
Wholesale and retail trade.....	801	7	-	1	809	12,680	16	626,007	n.p.	775
Transport, storage and communication.....	422	7	2	-	431	9,568	22	882,350	-	2,047
Finance, property and business services.....	86	-	1	-	87	1,641	19	153,748	-	1,767
Public administration and defence.....	401	2	4	-	407	7,038	17	760,016	-	1,867
Community services.....	1,024	5	12	3	1,044	22,019	21	2,220,581	n.p.	2,133
Recreation, personal and other services.....	335	3	1	-	339	7,182	21	419,983	-	1,239
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	8,900	62	31	11	9,004	165,396	18	13,251,808	654,340	1,474

1/ Temporary and permanent partial disability accidents/cases.

TABLE 2 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1982-83

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, nec		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	76	-	67	2	129	-	99	-	112	-	65	-	26	-	574	2
Mining.....	171	-	114	-	199	-	249	-	221	-	61	-	25	-	985	-
Manufacturing of																
-food, beverages and tobacco	48	-	58	-	182	-	174	-	81	-	45	-	22	-	610	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	69	-	32	-	62	1	132	-	33	-	1	-	11	-	340	1
-non-metallic mineral products.....	5	-	3	-	14	-	51	-	8	-	1	-	3	-	85	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products...	51	-	84	1	262	-	289	-	112	-	9	-	31	-	838	1
-transport equipment.....	4	-	10	-	27	-	24	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	69	-
-miscellaneous.....	141	-	71	1	153	-	286	2	113	-	1	-	25	-	789	3
Electricity, gas and water....	45	-	107	-	219	-	213	-	167	-	11	-	32	-	794	-
Construction.....	47	-	53	-	268	-	283	-	116	-	7	-	22	-	796	-
Wholesale and retail trade....	48	-	129	1	196	-	271	-	116	-	23	-	25	-	808	1
Transport, storage and communication.....	16	-	136	-	60	-	128	-	61	-	9	-	21	-	431	-
Finance, property and business services.....	5	-	16	-	17	-	15	-	27	-	2	-	5	-	87	-
Public administration and defence.....	40	-	52	-	89	-	111	-	87	-	4	-	24	-	407	-
Community services.....	26	-	128	2	218	-	142	-	208	-	244	1	75	-	1,041	3
Recreation, personal and other services.....	12	-	39	-	103	-	63	-	69	-	31	-	22	-	339	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	804	-	1,099	7	2,198	-	1,2,530	-	2,1,532	-	459	1	371	-	18,993	11

TABLE 3 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1982-83

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by type of accident by result											
	Fall of a person		Falling object or substance		Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object		Caught in or between object(s)		Over-exertion or physical stress movement		Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	121	-	41	-	194	-	41	-	129	-	8	-
Mining.....	216	-	115	-	261	-	80	-	219	-	19	-
Manufacturing of												
-food, beverages and tobacco	105	-	18	-	238	-	43	-	140	-	27	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	42	-	31	1	121	-	55	-	81	-	5	-
-non-metallic mineral products.....	11	-	10	-	29	-	7	-	23	-	1	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products...	133	-	66	-	221	-	60	-	215	-	57	-
-transport equipment.....	5	-	11	-	22	-	6	-	14	-	3	-
-miscellaneous.....	129	-	65	2	241	-	89	-	189	-	25	-
Electricity, gas and water....	173	-	64	-	189	-	54	-	195	-	15	-
Construction.....	163	-	58	-	272	-	42	-	190	-	8	-
Wholesale and retail trade....	137	-	59	-	281	-	63	-	192	-	26	-
Transport, storage and communication.....	107	-	30	-	86	-	43	-	116	-	9	-
Finance, property and business services.....	31	-	2	-	18	-	3	-	20	-	2	-
Public administration and defence.....	99	-	25	-	94	-	22	-	132	-	5	-
Community services.....	238	-	32	-	199	1	29	-	410	-	33	-
Recreation, personal and other services.....	92	-	10	-	93	-	11	-	80	-	20	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	1,802	-	637	3	2,559	1	648	-	2,345	-	263	-

TABLE 3 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1982-83-Continued

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by type of accident by result									
	Contact with electric current		Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation		Explosion and implosion		Other types of accident, n.e.c.		All accident types	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	-	-	9	-	-	-	31	2	574	2
Mining.....	1	-	47	-	5	-	22	-	985	-
Manufacturing of										
-food, beverages and tobacco	1	-	15	-	2	-	21	-	610	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	4	-	340	1
-non-metallic mineral products.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	85	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products...	1	-	56	-	-	-	29	1	838	1
-transport equipment.....	-	-	6	-	-	-	2	-	69	-
-miscellaneous.....	-	-	23	-	1	-	27	1	789	3
Electricity, gas and water....	1	-	50	-	3	-	50	-	794	-
Construction.....	3	-	32	-	1	-	27	-	796	-
Wholesale and retail trade....	-	-	13	-	1	-	36	1	808	1
Transport, storage and communication.....	-	-	7	-	1	-	32	-	431	-
Finance, property and business services.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	10	-	87	-
Public administration and defence.....	1	-	9	-	1	-	19	-	407	-
Community services.....	1	-	20	-	2	-	77	2	1,041	3
Recreation, personal and other services.....	-	-	7	-	1	-	25	-	339	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	9	-	297	-	18	-	415	7	8,993	11

TABLE 4 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY NATURE OF INJURY BY RESULT 1982-83

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by nature of injury by result											
	Fracture		Dislocation		Sprains & strains		Concussion and other intracranial injury		Internal injury of chest, abdomen and pelvis		Open wound	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	50	-	6	-	196	-	1	-	7	-	135	-
Mining.....	34	-	5	-	383	-	10	-	1	-	125	-
Manufacturing of												
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	27	-	2	-	180	-	3	-	6	-	208	-
-wood, wood products and furniture....	16	-	-	-	108	-	-	-	2	-	108	-
-non-metallic mineral products.....	6	-	-	-	32	-	-	-	-	-	29	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	41	-	4	-	305	-	4	-	8	-	125	-
-transport equipment.....	7	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	12	-
-miscellaneous.....	45	-	5	-	288	-	3	-	3	-	163	-
Electricity, gas and water.....	28	-	6	-	309	-	4	-	2	-	132	-
Construction.....	44	-	6	-	296	-	2	-	3	-	156	-
Wholesale and retail trade.....	55	-	5	-	283	-	4	-	5	-	230	-
Transport, storage and communication....	26	-	5	-	196	-	2	-	3	-	47	-
Finance, property and business services.	7	-	1	-	44	-	-	-	-	-	14	-
Public administration and defence.....	25	-	3	-	188	-	1	-	-	-	65	-
Community services.....	50	-	18	-	563	-	7	-	2	-	113	-
Recreation, personal and other services.	27	-	2	-	139	-	3	-	4	-	71	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	488	-	68	-	3,525	-	44	-	46	-	1,733	-

TABLE 4 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY NATURE OF INJURY BY RESULT 1982-83-Continued

Persons													
Industry	Number of accidents by nature of injury by result												
	Superficial injury		Contusion with intact skin surface and crushing injury		Burns		Poisonings		Effects of weather, exposure and related conditions		Asphyxia		
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	27	-	118	-	9	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	2
Mining.....	90	-	262	-	44	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manufacturing of													
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	22	-	102	-	38	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
-wood, wood products and furniture....	25	-	72	-	6	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
-non-metallic mineral products.....	5	-	11	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	77	-	157	-	106	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
-transport equipment.....	11	-	13	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
-miscellaneous.....	47	-	181	-	45	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Electricity, gas and water.....	44	-	196	-	56	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Construction.....	91	-	149	-	39	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wholesale and retail trade.....	34	-	144	-	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transport, storage and communication....	25	-	107	-	13	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Finance, property and business services.	6	-	8	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public administration and defence.....	17	-	85	-	11	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
Community services.....	28	-	190	1	40	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Recreation, personal and other services.	7	-	56	-	24	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	556	-	1,851	1	479	-	47	-	2	-	1	2	

TABLE 4 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY NATURE OF INJURY BY RESULT 1982-83-Continued

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by nature of injury by result								Total disease cases	
	Effects of electric current		Multiple injuries		Other and unspecified injuries		All injuries			
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	554	2	20	-
Mining.....	-	-	1	-	2	-	976	-	9	-
Manufacturing of										
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	590	-	20	-
-wood, wood products and furniture....	-	-	-	1	-	-	338	1	2	-
-non-metallic mineral products.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	85	-	-	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	-	-	-	1	1	-	834	1	4	-
-transport equipment.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	67	-	2	-
-miscellaneous.....	-	-	-	3	-	-	783	3	6	-
Electricity, gas and water.....	1	-	2	-	-	-	785	-	9	-
Construction.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	790	-	6	-
Wholesale and retail trade.....	-	-	2	1	3	-	799	1	9	-
Transport, storage and communication....	-	-	1	-	-	-	426	-	5	-
Finance, property and business services.	-	-	1	-	-	-	84	-	3	-
Public administration and defence.....	1	-	-	-	1	-	400	-	7	-
Community services.....	1	-	4	2	5	-	1,024	3	17	-
Recreation, personal and other services.	-	-	-	-	-	-	334	-	5	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	3	-	14	8	12	-	8,869	11	124	-

TABLE 5 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY SITE OF INJURY BY RESULT 1982-83

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by site of injury by result															
	Head		Neck		Trunk		Upper limbs		Lower limbs		Multiple locations		General locations		Total accidents	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting...	43	-	8	-	121	-	211	-	180	-	9	-	2	2	574	2
Mining.....	136	-	25	-	231	-	309	-	248	-	17	-	19	-	985	-
Manufacturing of																
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	35	-	9	-	128	-	311	-	117	-	8	-	2	-	610	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	17	-	6	-	67	-	170	-	79	-	1	1	-	-	340	1
-non-metallic mineral products.....	8	-	2	-	16	-	39	-	19	-	1	-	-	-	85	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	139	-	24	-	192	-	267	-	202	-	9	1	5	-	838	1
-transport equipment..	18	-	1	-	10	-	25	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	69	-
-miscellaneous.....	74	-	23	-	175	-	320	-	186	-	7	3	4	-	789	3
Electricity, gas and water.....	104	-	31	-	171	-	249	-	213	-	21	-	5	-	794	-
Construction.....	119	-	19	-	185	-	282	-	179	-	11	-	1	-	796	-
Wholesale and retail trade.....	64	-	14	-	176	-	337	-	201	-	13	1	3	-	808	1
Transport, storage and communication.....	48	-	18	-	115	-	128	-	109	-	13	-	-	-	431	-
Finance, property and business services.....	7	-	6	-	21	-	21	-	26	-	6	-	-	-	87	-
Public administration and defence.....	29	-	6	-	109	-	143	-	110	-	8	-	2	-	407	-
Community services.....	54	-	47	-	367	-	294	-	239	1	29	2	11	-	1,041	3
Recreation, personal and other services.....	18	-	14	-	77	-	144	-	79	-	6	-	1	-	339	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	913	-	253	-	12,161	-	13,250	-	12,202	1	159	8	55	-	218,993	11

TABLE 6 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY OCCURRENCE BY RESULT 1982-83

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by occurrence by result											
	During meal break or other work break		Road traffic accident in course of employment		Other (arising out of or in course of employment)		Away from work during recess period		Travelling to or from work or other prescribed journey		Total accidents	
	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting.....	1	-	4	-	560	2	-	-	9	-	574	2
Mining.....	8	-	2	-	958	-	1	-	16	-	985	-
Manufacturing of												
-food, beverages and tobacco	4	-	2	-	582	-	2	-	20	-	610	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	-	-	1	-	336	1	-	-	3	-	340	1
-non-metallic mineral products.....	-	-	-	-	83	-	-	-	2	-	85	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products...	4	-	-	-	805	-	-	-	29	1	838	1
-transport equipment.....	-	-	-	-	67	-	-	-	2	-	69	-
-miscellaneous.....	3	-	2	1	747	2	3	-	34	-	789	3
Electricity, gas and water....	8	-	3	-	731	-	-	-	52	-	794	-
Construction.....	7	-	3	-	763	-	-	-	23	-	796	-
Wholesale and retail trade....	3	-	5	1	756	-	1	-	43	-	808	1
Transport, storage and communication.....	2	-	10	-	396	-	-	-	23	-	431	-
Finance, property and business services.....	5	-	2	-	65	-	-	-	15	-	87	-
Public administration and defence.....	4	-	4	-	386	-	-	-	13	-	407	-
Community services.....	14	-	14	-	933	2	2	-	78	1	1,041	3
Recreation, personal and other services.....	-	-	1	-	305	-	1	-	32	-	339	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	63	-	53	2	8,473	7	10	-	394	2	8,993	11

TABLE 7 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY MONTH OF OCCURRENCE BY RESULT 1982-83

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by month of occurrence by result											
	July		August		September		October		November		December	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting...	45	-	44	2	38	-	48	-	55	-	45	-
Mining.....	95	-	100	-	56	-	59	-	88	-	77	-
Manufacturing of												
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	50	-	28	-	53	-	49	-	46	-	56	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	36	1	33	-	32	-	20	-	21	-	17	-
-non-metallic mineral products.....	5	-	6	-	10	-	6	-	7	-	5	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	78	1	73	-	80	-	71	-	70	-	72	-
-transport equipment..	2	-	8	-	8	-	5	-	4	-	4	-
-miscellaneous.....	81	1	79	-	83	-	58	-	57	-	54	-
Electricity, gas and water.....	71	-	77	-	63	-	68	-	79	-	55	-
Construction.....	93	-	99	-	88	-	65	-	77	-	53	-
Wholesale and retail trade.....	86	-	89	-	78	-	70	-	64	-	52	-
Transport, storage and communication.....	54	-	39	-	31	-	34	-	54	-	35	-
Finance, property and business services.....	9	-	11	-	5	-	5	-	5	-	8	-
Public administration and defence.....	39	-	37	-	41	-	30	-	40	-	19	-
Community services.....	104	-	98	-	79	-	108	-	87	2	67	-
Recreation, personal and other services.....	37	-	23	-	37	-	19	-	27	-	24	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	885	3	844	2	782	-	715	-	781	2	643	-

TABLE 7 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY INDUSTRY GROUP  
BY MONTH OF OCCURRENCE BY RESULT 1982-83-Continued

Persons

Industry	Number of accidents by month of occurrence by result													
	January		February		March		April		May		June		Total accidents	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting....	57	-	45	-	81	-	39	-	51	-	26	-	574	2
Mining.....	65	-	95	-	109	-	67	-	105	-	69	-	985	-
Manufacturing of														
-food, beverages and tobacco.....	36	-	56	-	70	-	57	-	57	-	52	-	610	-
-wood, wood products and furniture.....	6	-	36	-	41	-	28	-	36	-	34	-	340	1
-non-metallic mineral products.....	3	-	9	-	6	-	6	-	13	-	9	-	85	-
-basic metal products and fabricated metal products.....	45	-	71	-	70	-	49	-	81	-	78	-	838	1
-transport equipment..	3	-	10	-	4	-	8	-	6	-	7	-	69	-
-miscellaneous.....	42	-	61	-	73	1	67	-	79	-	55	1	789	3
Electricity, gas and water.....	57	-	58	-	79	-	42	-	89	-	56	-	794	-
Construction.....	31	-	61	-	78	-	49	-	54	-	48	-	796	-
Wholesale and retail trade.....	55	-	63	-	66	-	60	1	73	-	52	-	808	1
Transport, storage and communication.....	14	-	38	-	37	-	29	-	41	-	25	-	431	-
Finance, property and business services.....	3	-	8	-	10	-	12	-	3	-	8	-	87	-
Public administration and defence.....	14	-	41	-	36	-	29	-	47	-	34	-	407	-
Community services.....	64	-	97	-	109	1	92	-	70	-	66	-	1,041	3
Recreation, personal and other services.....	33	-	26	-	36	-	21	-	22	-	34	-	339	-
Non-classifiable economic units.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All industries.....	528	-	775	-	905	2	655	1	827	-	653	1	8,993	11

TABLE 8 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT  
BY SEX BY RESULT AND TIME LOST 1982-83

Agency of accident	Males			Females			Persons		
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Duration of leave (1/ ) (days)	Non-fatal	Fatal	Duration of leave (1/ ) (days)	Non-fatal	Fatal	Duration of leave (1/ ) (days)
Machinery.....	731	-	11,939	73	-	995	804	-	12,934
Lifting equipment and means of transport.....	955	6	24,823	144	1	4,337	1,099	7	29,160
Other equipment.....	1,944	1	28,707	254	-	3,662	2,198	1	32,369
Chemicals and other materials and substances..	2,316	2	37,681	214	-	4,496	2,530	2	42,177
Working environment.....	1,248	-	26,689	284	-	5,819	1,532	-	32,508
Other agency, nec.....	285	1	4,674	174	-	4,693	459	1	9,367
Agency not identified.....	282	-	4,208	89	-	2,673	371	-	6,881
All agencies.....	7,761	10	138,721	1,232	1	26,675	8,993	11	165,396

1/ Temporary and permanent partial disability accidents/cases.

TABLE 9 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT  
BY SEX BY RESULT AND TIME LOST 1982-83

Type of accident	Males			Females			Persons		
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Duration of leave (1/ ) (days)	Non-fatal	Fatal	Duration of leave (1/ ) (days)	Non-fatal	Fatal	Duration of leave (1/ ) (days)
Fall of a person.....	1,491	-	34,812	311	-	6,445	1,802	-	41,257
Falling object or substance.	588	3	11,266	49	-	478	637	3	11,744
Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object.....	2,329	1	30,269	230	-	2,718	2,559	1	32,987
Caught in or between object(s).....	576	-	10,312	72	-	1,417	648	-	11,729
Over-exertion or physical stress movement.....	1,932	-	35,500	413	-	11,815	2,345	-	47,315
Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature.....	218	-	3,241	45	-	507	263	-	3,748
Contact with electric current.....	8	-	84	1	-	22	9	-	106
Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation.....	278	-	1,913	19	-	258	297	-	2,171
Explosion and implosion.....	15	-	654	3	-	12	18	-	666
Other types of accident, n.e.c.....	326	6	10,670	89	1	3,003	415	7	13,673
All accident types.....	7,761	10	138,721	1,232	1	26,675	8,993	11	165,396

1/ Temporary and permanent partial disability accidents/cases.

TABLE 10 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT  
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1982-83

Males

Type of accident	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, nec		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Fall of a person.....	55	-	174	-	169	-	50	-	1,017	-	25	-	1	-	11,491	-
Falling object or substance...	29	-	32	-	84	1	370	2	71	-	2	-	-	-	588	3
Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object.....	303	-	195	-	988	-	644	-	93	-	92	1	14	-	12,329	1
Caught in or between object(s)	171	-	125	-	74	-	173	-	16	-	16	-	1	-	576	-
Over-exertion or physical stress movement.....	140	-	145	-	379	-	867	-	40	-	107	-	254	-	11,932	-
Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature.....	25	-	15	-	110	-	64	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	218	-
Contact with electric current.	1	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-
Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation.....	1	-	-	-	128	-	136	-	4	-	5	-	4	-	278	-
Explosion and implosion.....	1	-	-	-	4	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-
Other types of accident, n.e.c.....	5	-	269	6	1	-	2	-	3	-	38	-	8	-	326	6
All accident types.....	731	-	955	6	1,944	1	2,316	2	1,248	-	285	1	282	-	17,761	10

TABLE 10 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT  
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1982-83-Continued

Females

Type of accident	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, nec		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Fall of a person.....	3	-	7	-	21	-	-	-	274	-	6	-	-	-	311	-
Falling object or substance....	4	-	1	-	17	-	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49	-
Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object.....	22	-	26	-	118	-	33	-	3	-	28	-	-	-	230	-
Caught in or between object(s)	22	-	16	-	23	-	7	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	72	-
Over-exertion or physical stress movement.....	17	-	6	-	58	-	111	-	4	-	132	-	85	-	413	-
Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature.....	4	-	2	-	14	-	24	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	45	-
Contact with electric current.	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	4	-	3	-	19	-
Explosion and implosion.....	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Other types of accident, n.e.c.....	-	-	86	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	89	1
All accident types.....	73	-	144	1	254	-	214	-	284	-	174	-	89	-	1,232	1

TABLE 10 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT  
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1982-83-Continued

Type of accident	Persons															
	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, not identified		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Fall of a person.....	58	-	181	-	190	-	50	-	1,291	-	31	-	1	-	1,802	-
Falling object or substance...	33	-	33	-	101	1	397	2	71	-	2	-	-	-	637	3
Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object.....	325	-	221	-	1,106	-	677	-	96	-	120	1	14	-	12,559	1
Caught in or between object(s)	193	-	141	-	97	-	180	-	18	-	18	-	1	-	648	-
Over-exertion or physical stress movement.....	157	-	151	-	437	-	978	-	44	-	239	-	339	-	12,345	-
Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature.....	29	-	17	-	124	-	88	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	263	-
Contact with electric current.	1	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-
Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation.....	1	-	-	-	128	-	148	-	4	-	9	-	7	-	297	-
Explosion and implosion.....	2	-	-	-	6	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	-
Other types of accident, n.e.c.....	5	-	355	7	1	-	2	-	3	-	40	-	9	-	415	7
All accident types.....	804	-	1,099	7	12,198	1	12,530	2	1,532	-	459	1	371	-	18,993	11

TABLE 11 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY NATURE OF INJURY  
BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1982-83

Persons

Nature of injury or total disease cases	Number of accidents by type of accident by result											
	Fall of a person		Falling object or substance		Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object		Caught in or between object(s)		Over-exertion or physical stress movement		Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature	
	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal
Nature of injury												
Fracture.....	155	-	81	-	116	-	70	-	12	-	-	-
Dislocation.....	27	-	1	-	4	-	2	-	32	-	-	-
Sprains & strains.....	1,029	-	52	-	113	-	47	-	2,171	-	-	-
Concussion and other intracranial injury.....	4	-	9	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internal injury of chest, abdomen and pelvis.....	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	41	-	-	-
Open wound.....	114	-	119	-	1,223	-	220	-	-	-	-	-
Superficial injury.....	15	-	19	-	477	-	7	-	-	-	-	-
Contusion with intact skin surface and crushing injury.....	452	-	353	-	592	1	301	-	34	-	-	-
Burns.....	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	262	-
Poisonings.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Effects of weather, exposure and related conditions...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Asphyxia.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Effects of electric current.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Multiple injuries.....	-	-	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unspecified injuries.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All injuries.....	1,801	-	636	3	2,544	1	647	-	2,290	-	263	-
Disease cases												
Total disease cases...	1	-	1	-	15	-	1	-	55	-	-	-

TABLE 11 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY NATURE OF INJURY  
BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1982-83-Continued

Persons

Nature of injury or total disease cases	Number of accidents by type of accident by result									
	Contact with electric current		Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation		Explosion and implosion		Other types of accident, n.e.c.		All accident types	
	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal
Nature of injury										
Fracture.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	54	-	488	-
Dislocation.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	68	-
Sprains & strains.....	-	-	1	-	1	-	111	-	3,525	-
Concussion and other intracranial injury.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	44	-
Internal injury of chest, abdomen and pelvis.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	46	-
Open wound.....	-	-	-	-	4	-	53	-	1,733	-
Superficial injury.....	-	-	-	-	4	-	34	-	556	-
Contusion with intact skin surface and crushing injury.....	-	-	1	-	1	-	117	-	1,851	1
Burns.....	6	-	200	-	7	-	1	-	479	-
Poisonings.....	-	-	41	-	-	-	6	-	47	-
Effects of weather, exposure and related conditions...	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-
Asphyxia.....	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	1	2
Effects of electric current.	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Multiple injuries.....	-	-	-	-	1	-	11	5	14	8
Other and unspecified injuries.....	-	-	2	-	-	-	10	-	12	-
All injuries.....	9	-	246	-	18	-	415	7	8,869	11
Disease cases										
Total disease cases....	-	-	51	-	-	-	-	-	124	-

TABLE 12 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY NATURE OF INJURY  
BY SITE OF INJURY BY RESULT 1982-83

Persons								
Nature of injury or total disease cases	Number of accidents by site of injury by result							
	Head		Neck		Trunk		Upper limbs	
	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal
Nature of injury								
Fracture.....	27	-	1	-	51	-	243	-
Dislocation.....	-	-	9	-	32	-	23	-
Sprains & strains.....	-	-	219	-	1,755	-	689	-
Concussion and other intracranial injury.....	44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Internal injury of chest, abdomen and pelvis.....	-	-	-	-	46	-	-	-
Open wound.....	162	-	2	-	8	-	1,293	-
Superficial injury.....	398	-	1	-	3	-	90	-
Contusion with intact skin surface and crushing injury.....	68	-	15	-	248	-	670	-
Burns.....	193	-	5	-	11	-	151	-
Poisonings.....	3	-	-	-	3	-	6	-
Effects of weather, exposure and related conditions...	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Asphyxia.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Effects of electric current.	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Multiple injuries.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other and unspecified injuries.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
All injuries.....	895	-	252	-	2,159	-	3,169	-
Disease cases								
Total disease cases....	18	-	1	-	2	-	81	-

TABLE 12 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY NATURE OF INJURY  
BY SITE OF INJURY BY RESULT 1982-83-Continued

Persons

Nature of injury or total disease cases	Number of accidents by site of injury by result							
	Lower limbs		Multiple locations		General locations		Total accidents	
	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal
Nature of injury								
Fracture.....	158	-	8	-	-	-	488	-
Dislocation.....	4	-	-	-	-	-	68	-
Sprains & strains.....	853	-	9	-	-	-	3,525	-
Concussion and other intracranial injury.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	44	-
Internal injury of chest, abdomen and pelvis.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	46	-
Open wound.....	248	-	20	-	-	-	1,733	-
Superficial injury.....	46	-	18	-	-	-	556	-
Contusion with intact skin surface and crushing injury.....	785	1	64	-	1	-	1,851	1
Burns.....	95	-	21	-	3	-	479	-
Poisonings.....	1	-	-	-	34	-	47	-
Effects of weather, exposure and related conditions....	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Asphyxia.....	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	2
Effects of electric current.	-	-	-	-	2	-	3	-
Multiple injuries.....	-	-	13	8	-	-	14	8
Other and unspecified injuries.....	-	-	-	-	9	-	12	-
All injuries.....	2,191	1	153	8	50	2	8,869	11
Disease cases								
Total disease cases....	11	-	6	-	5	-	124	-

TABLE 13 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY SITE OF INJURY  
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1982-83

Persons

Site of injury	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, nec		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Head.....	91	-	77	-	371	-	276	-	63	-	32	-	3	-	913	-
Neck.....	12	-	93	-	33	-	35	-	29	-	15	-	36	-	253	-
Trunk.....	130	-	223	-	361	-	763	-	298	-	206	-	180	-	2,161	-
Upper limbs.....	456	-	333	-	1,040	-	903	-	313	-	132	-	73	-	3,250	-
Lower limbs.....	107	-	297	-	371	-	494	-	792	-	66	1	75	-	2,202	1
Multiple locations..	7	-	67	5	17	1	23	2	36	-	7	-	2	-	159	8
General locations...	1	-	9	2	5	-	36	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	55	2
All sites.....	804	-	1,099	7	2,198	1	2,530	2	1,532	-	459	1	371	-	8,993	11

TABLE 14 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY SITE OF INJURY  
BY TYPE OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1982-83

Persons

Site of injury	Number of accidents by type of accident by result											
	Fall of a person		Falling object or substance		Stepping on, striking against, or struck by an object		Caught in or between object(s)		Over-exertion or physical stress movement		Exposure to or contact with extreme temperature	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Head.....	42	-	53	-	559	-	1	-	-	-	27	-
Neck.....	30	-	7	-	17	-	3	-	115	-	5	-
Trunk.....	407	-	36	-	104	-	10	-	1,538	-	9	-
Upper limbs.....	353	-	189	-	1,385	-	529	-	528	-	122	-
Lower limbs.....	923	-	342	-	482	1	104	-	159	-	82	-
Multiple locations..	47	-	10	3	12	-	1	-	5	-	18	-
General locations...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All sites.....	1,802	-	637	3	2,559	1	648	-	2,345	-	263	-

Site of injury	Number of accidents by type of accident by result									
	Contact with electric current		Exposure to or contact with harmful substance, & radiation		Explosion and implosion		Other types of accident, n.e.c.		All accident types	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Head.....	1	-	176	-	9	-	45	-	913	-
Neck.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	76	-	253	-
Trunk.....	-	-	7	-	1	-	49	-	2,161	-
Upper limbs.....	5	-	50	-	4	-	85	-	3,250	-
Lower limbs.....	1	-	13	-	1	-	95	-	2,202	1
Multiple locations..	-	-	7	-	3	-	56	5	159	8
General locations...	2	-	44	-	-	-	9	2	55	2
All sites.....	9	-	297	-	18	-	415	7	8,993	11

TABLE 15 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY AGE GROUP  
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1982-83

Persons

Age group (years)	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, nec		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal	Non- fatal	Fatal
Under 20.....	109	-	152	-	363	-	330	-	130	-	47	-	45	-	1,176	-
20 - 24.....	167	-	198	1	495	-	499	-	280	-	88	-	64	-	1,791	1
25 - 29.....	122	-	157	2	319	-	354	-	250	-	76	-	49	-	1,327	2
30 - 34.....	97	-	130	1	251	-	328	2	163	-	65	-	60	-	1,094	3
35 - 39.....	87	-	130	1	204	1	260	-	172	-	57	-	30	-	940	2
40 - 44.....	76	-	88	-	161	-	204	-	157	-	45	-	22	-	753	-
45 - 49.....	42	-	71	1	108	-	165	-	110	-	22	1	31	-	549	2
50 - 54.....	40	-	76	1	112	-	140	-	112	-	19	-	40	-	539	1
55 - 59.....	31	-	53	-	100	-	143	-	88	-	19	-	18	-	452	-
60 - 64.....	13	-	17	-	34	-	45	-	36	-	3	-	4	-	152	-
65 & over.....	1	-	1	-	9	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	15	-
Age not stated.....	19	-	26	-	42	-	60	-	33	-	17	-	8	-	205	-
All age groups.	804	-	1,099	7	2,198	1	2,530	2	1,532	-	459	1	371	-	8,993	11

TABLE 16 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS BY OCCUPATION GROUP  
BY AGENCY OF ACCIDENT BY RESULT 1982-83

Persons

Occupation group	Number of accidents by agency of accident by result															
	Machinery		Lifting equipment and means of transport		Other equipment		Chemicals and other materials and substances		Working environment		Other agency, nec		Agency not identified		Total all agencies	
	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal	Non-fatal	Fatal
Professional, technical & related workers.....	8	-	50	1	53	-	38	-	71	-	139	-	31	-	390	1
Administrative, executive & managerial workers.....	1	-	11	1	14	-	15	-	14	-	4	-	4	-	63	1
Clerical workers.....	1	-	36	-	23	-	13	-	55	-	5	-	12	-	145	-
Sales workers.....	6	-	37	-	39	-	66	-	39	-	3	-	12	-	202	-
Farmers, fishermen, timber getters & related workers...	78	-	80	2	157	-	132	1	139	-	66	-	30	-	682	3
Miners, quarrymen and related workers.....	137	-	76	-	111	-	168	-	172	-	3	-	17	-	684	-
Workers in transport & communications occupations..	11	-	160	2	53	-	122	1	77	-	15	-	17	-	455	3
Tradesmen, production-process workers & labourers n.e.c....	544	-	561	1	1,513	1	1,826	-	756	-	90	-	190	-	5,480	2
Service, sport and recreation workers.....	18	-	88	-	231	-	147	-	208	-	134	1	58	-	884	1
Occupation inadequately described or not stated.....	-	-	-	-	4	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	8	-
All occupations.....	804	-	1,099	7	2,198	1	2,530	2	1,532	-	459	1	371	-	8,993	11

TABLE 17 : INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENTS : DURATION OF LEAVE BY SEX  
BY EXTENT OF DISABILITY BY NUMBER AND DURATION OF LEAVE 1982-83

Duration of leave (1/ )	Males				Females				Persons			
	Extent of disability											
	Temporary		Permanent partial		Temporary		Permanent partial		Temporary		Permanent partial	
	Number	Durati- on of leave (days)	Number	Durati- on of leave (days)	Number	Durati- on of leave (days)	Number	Durati- on of leave (days)	Number	Durati- on of leave (days)	Number	Durati- on of leave (days)
1 day but under 1 week.....	3,861	12,810	2	5	588	1,965	-	-	4,449	14,775	2	5
1 week but under 2 weeks.....	1,816	17,532	1	11	262	2,531	-	-	2,078	20,063	1	11
2 weeks but under 4 weeks.....	981	18,763	6	135	183	3,482	-	-	1,164	22,245	6	135
4 weeks but under 6 weeks.....	372	12,643	5	169	57	1,925	1	40	429	14,568	6	209
6 weeks but under 8 weeks.....	181	8,715	3	148	33	1,567	-	-	214	10,282	3	148
8 weeks but under 13 weeks.....	238	16,319	9	653	50	3,463	1	67	288	19,782	10	720
13 weeks but under 26 weeks....	163	19,998	8	1,204	19	2,325	2	244	182	22,323	10	1,448
26 weeks but under 52 weeks....	53	12,805	11	2,927	22	5,532	-	-	75	18,337	11	2,927
52 weeks but under 104 weeks..	16	7,165	8	3,955	4	1,824	2	980	20	8,989	10	4,935
104 weeks but under 156 weeks..	-	-	2	1,639	1	730	-	-	1	730	2	1,639
156 weeks and more.....	-	-	1	1,125	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1,125
Total.....	7,681	126,750	56	11,971	1,219	25,344	6	1,331	8,900	152,094	62	13,302

1/ Temporary and permanent partial disability accidents/cases.

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